

REFERENCE TITLE: full-day kindergarten; supplemental kindergarten

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## **HB 2502**

Introduced by  
Representatives Thrasher, Ableser, Farley, Gallardo, Garcia M, Lopez,  
Lujan, Miranda B, Pancrazi, Schapira, Sinema: Alvarez, Anderson, Bradley,  
Brown, Burns J, Campbell CH, Campbell CL, DeSimone, Lopes, Prezelski,  
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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 15-901.02, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO SCHOOL FINANCE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:  
2       Section 1. Section 15-901.02, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4           15-901.02. Voluntary full-day kindergarten instruction

5       A. A school district or charter school may offer full-day kindergarten  
6 instruction to pupils who meet the enrollment requirements for kindergarten  
7 programs. Parents of pupils who meet the enrollment requirements for  
8 voluntary kindergarten programs in a school district or charter school that  
9 offers full-day kindergarten instruction may choose either half-day  
10 kindergarten instruction or full-day kindergarten instruction. If a school  
11 district or charter school chooses to offer voluntary full-day kindergarten  
12 instruction, any necessary capital monies needed to implement voluntary  
13 full-day kindergarten instruction shall be provided by the school district or  
14 charter school.

15       B. A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL SHALL NOT OFFER SUPPLEMENTAL  
16 KINDERGARTEN SERVICES OR CHARGE FEES FOR SUPPLEMENTAL KINDERGARTEN SERVICES  
17 UNLESS THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL OFFERS FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN  
18 INSTRUCTION.